

## OUR PATTERN DEPARTMENT.

All Patterns—TEN CENTS EACH—All Patterns.



9020—LADIES' FANCY WAIST WITH YOKES.  
8944—LADIES' SKIRT.

Waist, \$2.34, 36, 38 and 40 inch bust.  
Skirt, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32 inch waist.

Ladies' Afternoon Toilet—Ladies' Fancy Waist with Yoke, No. 9020, and Ladies' Skirt, No. 8944. Among the novel fabrics for summer gowns are embroidered Shantung silks. The crepe and bisset grounds are covered with small polka-dots or tiny flowers embroidered in almost any color. Blue, red, white, violet, black and green are all represented.

The illustration shows a charming warm-weather toilette, developed in pale blue and ecru Shantung with blue moire and lace for trimming. The waist is mounted on a glove-fitted, feathered lining that closes in the center front and is faced with lace to a round yoke depth at the back.

The front yoke is finished in the shoulder and neck seams, permanently attached to the right side, and closes invisibly on the left. The full front is arranged to outline the yoke and blouse well over the soft belt of blue moire.

A wide brim finishes the yoke, extends around the back and over the shoulders, giving the fashionable long effect. In front it is extended to a deep point that is decorated with lace motifs. The collar is trimmed with blue velvet ribbon that is fastened in a rosette bow, the ends being finished with small turquoise drops.

The sleeves are made with inside seams, and fit the upper arm closely. The fullness at the lower elbow is gathered into deep pointed cuffs, over which the sleeves drop stylishly at the back.

The skirt is made with a narrow front gore and circular sides that are fitted smoothly around the waist and hips with small darts. It closes invisibly at the back in habit effect. The pattern is given full length and one of two flounces may be used as desired. The hem is of circular shaping and flares widely at the hem, shallow in front and graduating in depth toward the back. The hem and upper edges are finished with bands of lace. A box-pleat is applied to the center of the skirt, which is narrow at the belt and broadens toward the hem. This pleat may be omitted if preferred.

## ADMIRALTY SAYS MISTAKE WAS MADE BY AMERICANS.

British Officials Profess to Believe That Borneo Incident Will Be Easily Settled.

London, July 17.—According to authoritative dispatches received here, an American warship recently visited several islands on the northeast coast of Borneo and hoisted American flags and erected American tablets on seven of the islands, all of which are said to be British. They are Baguan, Tagaman, Bakunguan, Lihman, Boasun, Sibung and Lankayan.

Two of the islands, Tagaman and Boasun, command the harbor of Sandakan (the capital of British Northern Borneo). All the islands are uninhabited, but are shown on the admiralty charts.

The affair is regarded here as being capable of easy adjustment, but it is asserted at the admiralty, without doubt the result of a misunderstanding on the part of the commander of the American man-of-war.

At San Francisco, July 17.—It is learned at the requisite department that there have been no representations recently from the British Government touching the ownership of the small islands south of the Philippine Archipelago and adjacent to the coast of Borneo. Nor is anything known here of the recent naval operations in that corner of the world, although the fact is recalled that about a year ago one of the American gunboats cruising in those waters did visit some of the native chieftains on the small islands and asserted American sovereignty.

## RUSSIA TO CRUSH ZIONISTS.

Will Enjoin Meetings and Disband Organization.

New York, July 17.—According to the Russian correspondent of a Jewish paper published here, Russia, in its efforts to suppress the Zionist movement, will hereafter enjoin the promoters from holding meetings to advocate their cause and collecting money. All existing organizations will have to disband and cease their activities.

The reason for this attitude on the part of the Government is explained by the correspondent in a statement attributed to a member of the Russian Ministry, "The fact is that the Zionists are engaged in centering all their efforts upon the colonization of Jews in Palestine. The Zionists have created a world power for the purpose of strengthening their position in the lands where they live."

Bank Reserves Approved.  
REPUBLICAN SPECIALS.  
Washington, July 17.—The comptroller of the currency today approved the designation of the following national banks as reserve agents: Third National Bank, St. Louis; for the First National Bank, Cambridge, Mo.; Mechanics' National Bank, St. Louis; for the Citizens' National Bank, Jacksonville, Tex.; Merchants' National Bank, Houston; for the Citizens' National Bank, Jacksonville, Tex.

## RISING BREAST

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## RUSSIANS BLAME ENGLAND FOR JAPAN'S ATTITUDE.

Newspaper Asserts That Russia Stands as the Guardian of Peace in the Far East.

St. Petersburg, July 17.—The relations between Russia and Japan are the subject of comment in the newspapers here.

They attribute the strained situation to the "attitude of the newspapers published in Japan with the aid of English money."

The Novoye Vremya asserts that Russia stands as the guardian of peace in Asia and points out the lack of wisdom on the part of Japan in allowing herself to be influenced by Great Britain, who, in the event of war, would not assist her.

The Novoye Vremya contends that a pacific policy will enable Japan to attain her ends and render possible a friendly agreement between Russia and Japan.

## WILL EXPLORE HUDSON'S BAY.

Canadians Seek New Export Route for Grain.

St. John's, Newfoundland, July 17.—The Canadian Government has chartered the Newfoundland sealing steamer Neptune to convey a scientific expedition to Hudson's Bay.

The expedition will winter at Chesterfield Inlet. Its object is to determine the availability of the region for a Canadian grain route. Captain Samuel Bartlett, for several years navigator of the Peary steamers, is in command of the ship, the crew of which consists of Newfoundlanders familiar with ice work.

The scientific party is composed of Canadians.

The ship will also enforce the Canadian customs laws against American whalers who are operating in Hudson's Bay. This is the second time the ship has been chartered within a month. The British Admiralty recently secured the Terra Nova to convey a relief expedition to the Antarctic steamer Discovery.

## ABNER MCKINLEY IMPROVING.

Illness Less Serious Than Appeared at First.

Somerset, N. J., July 17.—The illness of Abner McKinley is not as serious as reported. Last Saturday he came here from New York, where he suffered from heat prostration. On Tuesday he was completely prostrated and yesterday had an attack of vertigo. This gave rise to the alarming reports sent out last night.

To-day, however, he had almost entirely recovered. Before breakfast he took a walk through the town, and later spent several hours driving.

## VARIETY OF NEW HATS.

Brown Straw Is Used and Brims Are Often Lace Covered.

The number of brown hats among the latest designs is notable, and is an indication of the vogue that color is destined to become when the next fashions are shown. A charming hat of deep tan-colored straw is bent into a three-cornered shape almost like a Continental army hat.

A band of brown ribbon lifts it from the hair, and a dashing cascade of brown ostrich tips and an egret trim the hat on the left side.

Another brown straw hat has the entire brim and crown covered with cream lace. A brown plume trims the hat, extending completely around the low crown, and drooping low on the hair in the back. The feather is shaded from very dark brown to almost a cream color at the end.

## HOLLAND WALKING SUIT.

It Has a Corset Skirt and a Long Coat to Match.

A severe but elegant brown Holland walking suit has a corset skirt and a very long coat to match. The coat reaches nearly to the knees, and is buttoned almost the entire length. These gowns need to be perfectly tailored to be successful.

## GIRL'S FROCKS FASHIONED AFTER THOSE FOR WOMEN.

Onting Dress in Light-Weight Cloth Has a Straight Box Coat With a Loose Belt Below the Waist—New Dresses of White and Dotted Materials.



Street costume, showing the adaptation of the three-quarter coat, which was so popular in the spring, to the linen suits for summer. The one illustrated is of dull mauve linen, with white silk frogs fastening the blouse front.

Frocks for little girls are in many details so similar to those for women that they become ridiculous.

It seems a pity when childish lines and frills are not adhered to, for there is nothing more charming than a flowery, simple, ruffled frock. Yet some of the new ones have jackets, for instance, that are precisely like those worn by women. Of these the prettiest is an outing dress, for there severity of line can be forgiven.

To make the skirt in the medium size will require six and one-half yards of material forty-four inches wide. The pattern, No. 8944, is cut in sizes for a 22, 24, 26, 28, 30 and 32 inch waist measure.

The Republic's Order Blank for Above Patterns.

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Send 10 cents (one silver dime) to the Republic Pattern Department, Republic Building, and inclose this blank, properly filled out with your name, address and bust or waist measure for each pattern ordered. If both patterns are wanted send 20 cents.

No. 9020, Ladies' Waist. Price 10 cents.  
Bust Measure .....inches

No. 8944, Ladies' Skirt. Price 10 cents.  
Waist Measure .....inches

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Street and No. ....State.....

These are sent at the same rate to the knees to let in knife platings of the same, and bonds of ecru lace outline the seam from the top of the pleats to the waist.

The principal part of the waist is ecru lace. A round camp with a flat ruffle of the same composes the top. From beneath the ruffle hangs a box-pleated lace jacket, stopping just above the waist line, which is filled in by a wide, blue crush belt.

The same color forms puffs for the lower sleeves, the over being silk like the skirt. A box-knot of lace is placed in the middle of the front of the ruffle at the bottom of the camp.

The modeler may advance these models for children, there is nothing, and never will be so charming for them as thin white, or, if colors are desired, limiting



Evening costume of white chiffon, chantly and black velvet.

them to figures of flowers and vines thrown on a white background. These are crisp and dainty.

For a child is 10 years old the necks should be cut out a little, and it is pretty and comfortable to have the sleeves short puffs. Such gowns need not be expensive, for these designs are made now in thin materials which cost little, and, except upon close examination, are as pretty as sheer ones.

One model for little girls is built like a hood, but the objection to it is that it is warm.

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linen has a box-pleated skirt and waist, the latter having all the pleats stitched flat. It blows a little all around. The belt, collar, cuffs and sleeve caps of this gown are piped with rather bright blue, and are trimmed with small silver buttons. Under the flat stole collar falls a tie with long ends of blue linen ornamented with large, graduated disks of white, hand-sewn.

## PRETTY WHITE PARASOL.

Shades of Black Chiffon Are Cool and Light to Hold.

A white parasol is the prettiest of adjuncts to a summer gown, but as a sunshade it is a distinct failure, and the woman who buys one for practical purposes as well as for adornment makes a mistake. She is sure to be the warmest-looking one of a group, as the glare of the sun through a white parasol is greatly intensified. The same is true of pale blue and pink parasols. The greens are better, the dark shades being coolest of all. Black chiffon parasols are also cool, and are light to hold—an additional recommendation.

## STYLISH VELVET COLLARS.

Neckwear of This Material Is Worn With Linen Dresses.

Velvet collars on linen walking dresses seem strangely out of place, but they are seen. A mauve linen gown has a velvet shawl collar of a like color, but a white linen long-coated suit has a collar of black velvet, and this appears on dresses of white wool and velvet.

## ATTRACTIVE LACE WAIST.

Interlacing of Two or More Thicknesses of Chiffon Is Used.

A perfectly made lace waist is as much of a satisfaction to wear or to behold as an inferior garment of the same description is dowdy and distressing. An inter-

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## STOLE SHAPED BOA.

Ends Are Long Fringes of Black and White Feathers.

A gorgeous boa is in a flat stole shape and is very long. It is made of fine black ostrich feathers, with white marabout, almost as airy as swansdown for a lining. The ends of the boa are long fringes of the black and white feathers.

Another feather boa keeps the popular round shape. It is made of lilac ostrich feathers, and shades from the palest to very deep tones around the face. With this regal boa goes a hat of lilac straw, in a Gainsborough shape. It is loaded with purple lilac, and has a scarf of lilac ribbon extending to the turned-up back of the hat, where it is tied in a large bow.

## OYSTER-WHITE WAIST.

Antique Lace Is Worn on Liberty Silk.

A waist of oyster-white antique lace is ingeniously mounted on a slight foundation of Liberty silk. The silk is a mere corselet about the waist and over the tops of the sleeves, but it gives the lace a certain solidity which enhances its beauty.

## LINEN SKIRTS FASHIONABLE.

Mohair Garments Are Also in Great Favor This Summer.

The summer wardrobe is hardly complete without one or two white linen skirts. These have almost entirely superseded the once popular plaid skirt, which was always rather clumsy.

All varieties of models are seen, from the plain strapped skirt to wear with shirt and blouse, to the more elaborate designs.

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## FASHION NOTES.

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buckles back and front, many of them of silver richly ornamented and jeweled set. In shape they are long and narrow. On each side of the giraffe is a slight clasp or slide, and these and both buckles are joined by slender silver chains, under which the silk of the giraffe shows.

## LACE CAPES IN VOGUE.

They Are Made to Match Gown With Which They Are Worn.

Lace capes and peleries continue to be very much in fashion, in spite of their costliness. They are sometimes made to match the gown with which they are to be worn, and in that case a deep cuff of the same lace is generally included in the set. The plainest gown is made elaborate by a pelerie and cuffs of handsome lace.

## LAMP FOR DINING-ROOM.

Panel of Rough-Finished Glass Are Separated With Chafins.

A hanging lamp for a library or dining-room is of wrought iron with six panels of green rough-finished glass separated with



Gown of light gray silk gauze.

thick cable chains of iron. These chains also attach the lamp to an oddly shaped ceiling piece that is almost as large as the upper part of the lamp shade. The lower part of the lamp is bordered with a band of iron and from this falls a fringe of shaded green beads.

## PASS ALONG "GOOD CHEER."

Catch and radiate the sunshine. Pass along the word of cheer. Give a tender smile or token. To the sad ones far and near. Gather up each passing sunbeam. And reflect it far and wide. Sending forth its rays the brightest Where the darkest shadows hide.

To the weary, heavy laden, Walking lonely down the road, Lend a hand to help them onward; You can be a very good Samaritan.

To the aged and the careworn, Grown so weary of the way, You can be a very sunbeam, Bringing light and joy to-day.

Not alone in crowded alleys, Do we find the sweetest need; There are hearts that break and bleed. Scatter sunshine, brother, sister, Scatter sunshine, brother, sister. Make this whole wide world the brighter For your tender words of cheer. Magazine of Mysteries.

## DAINTY FINGER PURSE.

Back of It Is Ornamented With Elephant's Head in Dark Silver.

A finger purse, which is a work of art, is



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A pretty model for a blue linen gown has a skirt side-plaited in small, shallow plaits forming the paneled front gore. The plaits are graduated as to length, being longest on the sides. Above the hem is a three-inch band of rather coarse white linen drawn work.

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The chain is strung at intervals with the stones, which are uncut, and by no means large. The purse is square in shape and is hung with stones like fringes. It is an exquisite with an ornate heart be a lovely touch for a black or violet gown.

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Valenciennes lace in innumerable frillings and ruchings is a mixture which is very striking and becoming to fair women.

A new glove which is said to be growing in popularity has a loose wrist and no buttons. It differs from the old-time Biarritz by its short wrist only.

For driving are sold mitts of white washable kid, ventilated by small holes in the palm and back, and finished at the wrist and fingers by a pinked edge.

A brilliant plaid silk for waists has a black warp, and the cerise and gray which are woven into it are so cleverly shaded as to give the illusion of a great many colors. The pattern is arranged in large squares.

Very pretty are many of the light wool shawls to be worn on summer evenings out of doors. Some of these shawls are lace in texture, and have silk and chenille fringes.

Shaded feathers of light tints are shown in profusion. Palest sky-blue, tipped with white, lilac shaded into pink, cream into golden yellow, yellow into brown are examples.

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